

By Councilman Dorais:

Resolved, That it be and is hereby declared by Common Council of the City of Detroit, necessary to lay and install in said City, the following described water mains, and that a ratable assessment for the cost of such improvement be levied upon all lots or real estate, fronting upon said improvement at the rate of one dollar and fifteen cents (\$1.15) for each lineal foot and further that the cost of this improvement shall be charged against the Water Fund of the City of Detroit.

Roll No. 4878—W. S. of Southfield Rd., between Belton Avenue and Joy Rd., lay 1,621 ft. of 8-in. and 107 ft. of 12-in. pipe.

Roll No. 4898—Pembroke, between Redfern and Berg, lay 966 ft. of 8-in. pipe.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Dorais, Garlick, Lodge, Sweeny, Van Antwerp, and the President—6.

Nays—None.

From Department of Public Welfare  
November 27, 1941.

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—To acquaint you with the characteristics of the present case load of the Department of Public Welfare, we are attaching a copy of a study just completed on the subject of "Employability Status." A more detailed study is in process at the present time and will be forwarded to you in the near future.

Your attention is specifically directed to the fact that all employable persons in the case load have been registered for employment at the Michigan State Employment Service since their application for relief was accepted by this department. All of the employable persons eligible for employment on W.P.A. have been certified and are still unassigned.

Yours Very truly,

G. R. HARRIS,

General Superintendent.

Received and placed on file.

From the Clerk

That he presented such portion of the proceedings of the last regular session as is required by the charter to be so presented, to His Honor the Mayor for approval, on the 25th, 26th and 28th of November, 1941, and that they were approved on the 25th and 26th of November and 2nd of December, 1941.

Also two ordinances, being an amendment to the Fumigating Ordinance 222-D and an ordinance prohibiting left turns on Grand River Avenue, both of which were presented on the 28th day of November, 1941 and approved on December 2, 1941.

Also that he has been served with Law Summons and Declaration issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, Michigan, in a cause wherein Marie Gordon is plaintiff and the City of Detroit, a Municipal Corporation, Department of Street Railways, is defendant, and

Declaration and Rule to Plead issued out of the Circuit Court for the County of Wayne, Michigan, in a cause wherein Helene M. White is Plaintiff, and the City of Detroit, a Municipal Corporation, is Defendant, and that he has referred both of the above papers to the Corporation Counsel.

Placed on file.

From the Clerk

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—This is to advise your Honorable Body that I am in receipt of the following communication from Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS D. LEADBETTER,

City Clerk.

United States Senate

November 25, 1941.

Mr. Thomas D. Leadbetter  
City Clerk

Detroit, Michigan.

My dear Mr. Leadbetter:

This will acknowledge your telegram transmitting the Resolution adopted by your Detroit Common Council in opposition to the ratification of the pending British Tax Exemption Treaty. I am very glad to have this expression of official opinion from the Detroit Council sustaining Mayor Jeffries' powerful brief upon the same subject. I shall present your Resolutions on the Floor of the Senate and have them referred to the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

I am sure you are fully advised of my own position. I have fought this measure from start to finish and I shall continue to do so. Since I succeeded in stripping the secrecy from it there has been an accumulating demonstration of opposition across the country and I feel reasonably sure that the Treaty will not be ratified.

With warm personal regards and best wishes,

Cordially and faithfully,

A. H. VANDENBERG.

Received and placed on file.

From the Clerk

To the Honorable, the Common Council:

Gentlemen—This is to advise your Honorable Body that quit-claim deed of St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital and

warranty deed of Albert Shapiro, et al. to the City of Detroit, covering property dedicated for street and alley purposes have been filed in my office. Same having been approved by the Corporation Counsel, resolution accepting said deeds is attached.

Respectfully submitted,  
THOMAS D. LEADBETTER,  
City Clerk.

By Councilman Van Antwerp:

Resolved, That quit-claim deed of St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital of Detroit to the City of Detroit, covering property dedicated for street purposes, described as "the southerly 43 ft. of the S E ¼ of the N E ¼ of Sec. 11, T 1 S R 10 E, north of and adjoining Curtis ave. and between the easterly line of Ashton Road, 50 ft. wide as now established, and the westerly line of Southfield Road, 204 ft. wide as now established, to be used for street purposes and to be known as Curtis ave.

"Also, the westerly 10 ft. of the northerly 82.5 ft. of the southerly 125.50 ft. of the S E ¼ of the N. E. ¼ of Sec. 11, T 1 S R 10 E, lying east of and adjoining Ashton Road, 50 ft. wide as now established, to be used for street purposes and to be known as Ashton Road",

Also, warranty deed of Albert Shapiro and Hazel Lawrence Shapiro, his wife, to the City of Detroit, covering property dedicated for alley purposes, described as "the westerly 60 ft. of the easterly 160.42 ft. of lots 41 and 42 of Robert M. Grindley's Sub. of Little Farms being the easterly 60.316 acres of the N W ¼ of Sec. 32, T 1 S R 12 E, as recorded in liber 27 page 97 of Plats of Wayne County Records, to be used for street purposes and to be known as Steel ave. Also the westerly 16 ft. of the easterly 306.80 ft. of lots 41 and 42 of last mentioned subdivision to be used for alley purposes",

be and the same are hereby accepted, and the City Controller be and he is hereby directed to record said deeds in the office of the Register of Deeds for Wayne County.

Adopted as follows:

Yeas—Councilmen Dorais, Garlick, Lodge, Sweeny, Van Antwerp, and the President—6.

Nays—None.

From the Clerk

To the Honorable, the Common Council.

Gentlemen—This is to inform your Honorable Body that I am in receipt of the following petitions since the last regular session, and recommend their reference to the general order as follows.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS D. LEADBETTER,  
City Clerk.

### GENERAL ORDER FOR TUESDAY

9796—Strathmoor Business Assn., erect Christmas trees on poles, Grand River, from Schoolcraft to Coyle.

#### Reward Claims Under Ordinance 223-D

9797—Louise Hoffman.  
9798—Albert Schulz.  
9799—Martin Williamson.

### GENERAL ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY

9800—Automotive Maintenance Assn. of Detroit, Inc., protesting ordinance, 261-C, retail sale of motor oils, etc.  
9801—Detroit & Wayne County Federation of Labor, re establishment and operation of municipal parking lots.  
9802—Walter T. Risdon Estate, protesting Bagley Ave. opening assessment.

### GENERAL ORDER FOR FRIDAY

9803—Louis Stone, close Stimson between 2nd and 3rd, for Christmas party.

### REFERRED TO CORPORATION COUNSEL

9804—Zacharie J. Campion, purchase city property, Dequindre and Nevada.  
9805—Inland Bonding Co., cancellation of constable bonds.  
9806—Abe Weiss et al, that property involved in Douglas Housing Condemnation Proceedings be removed from tax rolls as of a date prior to Dec. 1, 1941.

#### City Claims

9807—Della Knapp, personal injuries, etc.  
9808—Geo. Kalongin, damage to auto.  
9809—Stanley Macheske, damage to truck.  
9810—Lois M. and Norman C. Mayo, damage to auto.  
9811—Axel L. Nyholm, damage to auto.  
9812—Arthur W. Ross, damage to auto.  
9813—W. A. Slazinski, damage to auto.

#### Street Railway Claims

9814—Mrs. Edward Sullivan, damage to coat.

### REFERRED TO CITY CONTROLLER

9815—Collateral Liquidation, Inc., cancel taxes on property owned by State.

### REFERRED TO BOARD OF ASSESSORS

#### Adjustment of Taxes

9816—American Milk Cap Co.  
9817—Leonard C. Aumann.  
9818—Binder Electric Supply Co.  
9819—Juanita M. Bryant.